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Sir:

Applicant, by the undersigned counsel, asks to be informed of the status of the above identified patent application, and the Office's examination thereof.

To date, applicant has not received any written communication concerning prosecution of this case from the Office since receipt of a Notice of Acceptance of Power of Attorney, Confirmation No. 2559, which was mailed on July 14, 2004. We look forward to hearing from you on this matter at your early convenience.

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